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The flight of wild birds during migrating time against lighthouses is more like the action of the green bicyclist who rides against a trolley car or spite of his fears.

Gorillas, it is said, delight in fire, drawing closer to the flames as the fire dies down and at last wading in the and not feeling the burning coals.

pear shaped paper wasp nests that are seen hanging from low branches will kill every wasp in it, as the insects fly at it one by one in their endeavors to think you ought to have?"

Frogs leap through the flames of little bonfire time and time again, as ald. if having the most pleasing of fun. It may be, though, that they think the flickering flames to be some new sort

Strange Captivity.

The springbok of South Africa migrate in vast herds, moving in a com-Visitors in Washington nearly always listrict, and the latter, if of hospitable fore them. If a flock of sheep be in eon in the congress restaurant, a privilege highly prized by the average and becomes, willingly or unwillingly visitor. Once a number of women call- part of the army. An African hunter tells the strange story of seeing a lion ed upon a wealthy congressman and were duly invited to have luncheon with him, which they promptly and join the march. It is supposed that the gladly accepted, and when seated pro- lion had sprung too far for his prey, reeded to order a luncheon substantial that those upon whom he alighted reenough for day laborers. When the coiled sufficiently to allow him to reach the enemy by such devices has been hand, to westward, towers the lovely persuaded Millions to let him write check for the luncheon was handed to the congressman and he handed a bill from both flanks and the rear prevented him from escaping from his strange for the amount to the waiter, one of the captivity. If the springbok travels in women remarked that she thought consuch armies, how can those in the midgressmen did not have to pay for their dle and rear find food? In this wise: Those in the front ranks, after they lered so much. The congressman, says have eaten greedly of the pasture, the narrator, explained that paying for gradually fall out of the ranks to rest, luncheons was one of the pleasant privwhile the hungry ones in the rear come ileges which were still permitted to the up, and so the columns are all the congressmen by an indulgent governwhile changing. ment and that it was one which they

Had Hilm Beat. The head day porter and the head

us enjoy it, too." he added .- Baltimore night porter of a hotel, according to the San Francisco Chronicle, became involved in a discussion on ages. The head night porter confessed to thirty-We are learning that a standard of social ethics is not attained by travel-

"H'm! Say, I've got you beat ten rears," declared the head day. "You mean to tell me you're only twenty-eight?" demanded the head

"I should say not. I's just fortyeight," explained the head day, with an expression of withering disdain. Lake Superior is the deepest of the "Then you ain't got me beat no ten creat lakes, showing by soundings years. I's got you beat just ten years. 1,008 feet in at least one place. Mich-Say, I got ten years comin' that you igan stands second, with 100 feet less.

won't see again." "Look here, man," declared the head day, "you ain't got no sense. I's sure but 204. Vast areas of Lake Erie will of them ten years, 'cause I's seem 'em not show a depth exceeding 80 feet. an' been through 'em. You ain't sure The bottom of Lake Michigan is 400 of yours. You might die tomorrow."

A Source of Contagion. It has been proved by abundant in vestigation that one prolific source of epidemic diseases is found in the liaoility of the germs of such diseases to lodge in the mouth around the teeth and gums. A physician examined the teeth of the children of a certain school. He found disease germs present in almost every case. By careful watching he discovered that those children whose teeth were kept cleanest suffered less from epidemic diseases. The neglected condition of the teeth is, therefore, a common cause of illness Indeed, if one takes the trouble to observe with what rapidity the tartar and cheesy matter accumulate around the teeth of people who are out of health they will not be long in making up their minds that a thorough and judicious use of the toothbrush is not

very far from a means of grace. An Alphabetical Advertisement. The following remarkable alphabetleal ad, appeared in an issue of the London Times away back in 1842: "To Widowers and Single Gentlemen-Wanted, by a lady, a situation to superintend the household and preside at generous, honest, industrious, judidient, philosophic, quiet, rosy faced. man the full and perfect proboscis!" sociable, tasteful, usefui, vivacious, Farms, or Property would do well to womanish, Xantippish, youthful, zealous, etc."

around- Second Chauffeur-For dam-

He Won. Crimsonbeak-How did you come out on your bet? Yeast-What bet? Crimsonbeak-Why, last night when you went home late you said you'd bet you'd get rats from your wife. Yeast-I U. WISMAN, Pres. and Gen Oh, yes, I won!-Yonkers Statesman.

One of Fox's Puns. "I hear you can make a pun on any subject," said a woman to the irresistible Fox. "Make one on king." "King is no subject," promptly replied the joker. F. W. LOGAN, L. S. WALKER, P

Her Advice. The Actor-What shall I do to fill the house at my benefit? Lady Friend-Invite your creditors. It is just as well that some of our

blessings come in disguise; otherwise they would never catch us .- Puck. Got What He Wanted. Auctioneer - Going! Going! Gone!

Here, sir, it's yours. Great bargain, sir. The frame alone is worth the ter bay? price. Connoisseur (ripping out the Tommy Rott-Yes, it's sort of a Long picture)-The frame is what I wanted. Island sound .-- New York Times. -New York Weekly.

You cannot find an instance of any | Molly-Have you seen Mabel's enman who is permitted to lay out his gagement ring? Dolly-Seen it? Why. own time contriving not to have tedl- I wore it all last summer.

Cheap Courting. There lived in the town of Epping,

next day, happening to meet the young wagon as if hypnotized by it and in ed him and, after a few preliminaries about the weather, remarked: "You expense this winter running that fire in the parlor for you and teacher. I redhot ashes, apparently enchanted didn't say anything to her, but I thought perhaps you'd be willing to

> "Why, yes," replied the young man, "I am willing to pay anything reasonable, of course. How much do you

"Waal," drawled out Mr. B., "I guess 'bout 10 cents will do."-Boston Her-

Uniforms to Scare the Enemy. Red uniforms were first adopted by the Emperor Valerius Maximus in order that the Roman soldiers might not be frightened by the sight of their own blood. To this day the children of England are teld that this is the reason why French troops wear red trousers, same notion respecting the red coats perpetuated up to quite recent times. Tall bearskin hats were originally adopted to make them look taller by the French cuirassiers, each of whom carried a handful of grenades for scattering among the ranks of their foe.

"The old story about monkeys climb ing up cocoanut trees and firing nuts down on people that pass under them books, is exploded by the facts," re pink vapors tinted by the sunset -

Monkeys and Coconnuts.

marked a man who has been in South | London Mail. America. "The fact is that cocoanut are never plucked off the trees. The are fastened on by a fiber that would require the strength of a Hercules to in the world that could pluck one of of Porto Cortes, Honduras, during

tree bears from eight to ten nuts." A Peculiar City. casionally pays a visit. There are New York World. shops, markets, temples, theaters,

streets and avenues, parks, lakes, trees and flower gardens, a hall of justice, judges, executioner, police, generals and soldiers, all the positions, official and otherwise, being filled by can enter this city is the king. The First Sapphire. There is an Indian legend tha Brahma, the creator, once committed : sin that he might know the torments of remorse and thus be able to sympa-

thize with mortals. But the moment he had committed it he began repeating the mantras, or prayers of purification, and in his grief dropped on the earth a tear, the hottest that ever fel from an eye, and from it was formed the first sapphire.

Wondrous Evolution. "In the slow evolution of the race, mused the elephant, looking with lan guld interest at the throng of curious gazers that stood on the outside of the ropes and fed him with cakes, peanuts table. She is agreeable, becoming, and candy, "how many millions of careful, desirable, English, facetious, years it must require to evolve from the shapeless and rudimentary projecclous, keen, lively, merry, natty, obe- tion on the face of the creature called

The Dardanelles. The Dardanelles is celebrated in an clent history on account of Xerxes and as little as possible. The Viennese peo-First Chauffeur—The judge fined me \$50 for running over that man and killthe latter in 334 B. C. to enter Europe and the latter in 334 B. C. to enter Asia. ing him, and now his widow has come At the point where Alexander crossed young Leander nightly swam the ages? First Chauffeur-No. She says | Hellespont to visit Hero-a feat pershe wants to pay the fine!-New York formed in modern times by Lord By-

> Making It Worse. "What silly verses that woman is re-"I wrote them, sir!" "Ah-oh. yes-to be sure-clever lines, but horribly delivered, don't you know. Woman must be a fool to bungle 'em so. Who is she?"-

"My wife, sir!" Easy English. "Ah, your language! Eet ess so difficult.' "What's the matter, count?" "First, zis novel eet say ze man was unhorsed."

"Yes?" "Zen It say he was cowed." "His attentions to you have been marked, have they not?" said the

young woman's experienced friend. "Oh, yes. He has never taken the price ticket off any of his presents." Izzy Innit-Did you ever hear an oys-

If a Scottish maiden desired to sum-

per, washed the supper dishes and retired to bed without uttering a single word, placing underneath her pillow of their husbands by drawing cabgers still in some parts of Scotland. They also threw nuts into the fire, a practice prevailing also in England, as Gay has described:

Two hazelnuts I threw into the flame, And to each nut I gave a sweetheart's

amazed That in a flame of brightest color blazed,

to a looking glass, eating an apple and combing their hair before it, whereupon the face of the liture spouse over the foelish girl's shoulder.

The Throne of Thunder. Mungo Mam Lobeh, the throne, or toan can ever forget. Suddenly, right that made the book popular. custom spring modern crests and ar- up out of the sea, the great mountain "The author has a millionaire bache morial bearings. The idea of scaring rises to its 13,760 feet, while close at lor friend-call him Millions-and he Five times I have been in the beautiful | would marry her. made of metal, and sometimes softly chance with Millions." as related in the old fashioned story gorgeous, with green, gold, purple and

A Trying Reform, A Presbyterian clergyman of New York with two popular daughters has break, and no monkey was ever born discovered a new way to end the visits of their beaus at a seemly hour—a skin and scrape off any flesh that may the Pike betwein Woodstock and Mt. a orange of the Ural-Altai family. Under their large and the large off the Ural-Altai family. Under their large of the Ural-Altai family. Under their large of the Ural-Altai family. Under their large of the Ural-Altai family. them. I have read many stories about plan which might appeal to lay famimonkeys climbing these trees, but aft- lies as well. For a number of years side with water and soap and rinse for sale would do well to list them realm in Asia Minor, but soon extended it has been a custom of this good man | well. Take one pound each of sait and to hold evening worship after supper. pulverized alum, two ounces of borax always concluding the prayers with a tree. They have no limbs, only a small ceive the attentions of young men and over flesh side. Then fold lengthwise, bunch of foliage on the top, and each begged off or stole away to make their with the hair side out. Let remain two evening tollets. Then the minister weeks in an airy but shaded place; changed the devotional hour until 10 then unfold, shake well and wash flesh in the evening. This reform created side with water and scrape with some A traveler's tale has it that Nang- an upheaval, but the father insisted, hanu, a Siamese city, home of the roy- and at the stroke of 10 the visiting and work till dry. The quantity of inal family, is a sort of municipal harem. young men are now left one alterna-Its population is composed of women tive-either to leave or join with the and children alone. It is in the center family in prayer-and it has proved a termine the quantity used. The quan- houses, and all necessary out build- recognized as such by all Mohammedof Bangkok, has high walls around it, severe test of their devotion for the titles named probably would be enough ings. 400 choice fruit trees from 2 to ans, as representative of former caand in its population of 9,000 there is daughters when those not prayerfully for two or three sheepskins.-St. Louis 12 years old. The best bargain in liphs. not a single man, though the king oc inclined stick it out, sermon and all .- Republic.

The Good Fellow.

The treasurer of a church temperance society told at a temperance meeting a dramatic story. "A woman entered the barroom," he other men. She placed a covered dish on the table and said: "'Thinkin' ye'd be too busy to come

home to supper, Jack, I've fetched it to you here.' "And she departed. "The man laughed awkwardly. He then packed for shipment. In some invited his friends to share the meal parts of Greece they are also made in- pay. Address 67 East 23d St., N. Y. with him. Then he removed the cover to a sweet wine. from the dish.

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planned to hold a spit, and it was not until the late sixteenth century that they were much ornamented. Accordremote ages, from Etruscan times down to the Romans, such andirons andirons made with "meraviglioso magistero" for the captains of the Arte della Seta, but I have not found much he says. I have a theory of my own, which is contrary to that of Viollet le Duc. In England andirons are called fire dogs, and in the Bargello there is a splendid specimen made in the form of crouching hounds. I hold that the andirons were in the first instance made in the shape of animals lying at rest, shaped of clay or stone, and it was much later that they were made of iron, when they often ended in animals' heads, most often in that of

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One day upon the arrival of a new squad of inmates there was one who seemed somewhat more "tony" than the rest, and, calling the lightenant aside, he claimed a little more consideration than the others owing to his previous standing in society. "I never was in such a situation be-

fore," said be, "and I trust you will give me a little different quarters from those other fellows. I am highly educated and can speak seven different "Seven?" remarked the lieutenant.

That's allowether too many. We don't have but our burnage here and

mighty little o' that. -Boston Herald. The Ottoman Turks. The Otteman Turks lived originally Woodstock, Va. 1453 they succeeded to the Byzantine Europe and much of western Asia and One of the best small farms in Shen- northern Africa, but they lost Hun-

> The Australian Native. For hundreds of years, perhaps thousands, the Australian black has accepted the doctrine of a Trinity in heaven and the theory of evolution. In some respects he is far superior to his civilized contemporary, but he curls himself around like a dog and sinks to sleep on the bare ground at sunset. In

the dark he is a veritable coward. What Happens. In a written examination on physical geography one of the questions was: "What happens when there is an

eclipse of the moon?" A boy with rather an admirable knack of getting out of a difficulty wrote the following answer: "A great many people come out to look at it."-London Answers. Precaution.

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